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1. [REDACTED] a White Russian named Andrei Mervlitski, [REDACTED] was captured by the North Korean Army on 28 June 1950 in Seoul. He was interrogated in Seoul police headquarters on 2 July 1950. He was taken to Pyongyang on 4 July 1950 and remained there for nine days. On 13 July 1950 he was taken by North Korean military personnel presumably for questioning in Pyongyang. He never returned. He was carrying US\$3 - US\$4 thousand.
2. Mervlitski was about 55 or 60 years old, very robust, who joined the US Army as a consulting engineer in the Philippines during World War II on General MacArthur's recommendation. After World War II he worked for the US Army in South Korea in charge of the electric barges at Inchon which was the single power supply for South Korea.

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